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From:

Easterling, Deborah

Sent:

Friday, March 06, 2015 12:01 PM

To:

'Wendy Butler'

Subject:

RE: 2015-54-E: I support No New Taxes Solar Policies. Why doesn't SCE&G?

Dear Ms. Butler,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. I am forwarding your email to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email will become a part of Docket No. 2015-54-E and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling Administrative Coordinator 803-896-5133

----Original Message-----

From: Wendy Butler [mailto:butlerandwhite@gmail.com]

Sent: Thursday, March 05, 2015 3:37 PM

To: PSC Contact

Subject: 2015-54-E: I support No New Taxes Solar Policies. Why doesn't SCE&G?

Dear Public Service Commission Public Service Commission,

Back in December, our state exemplified great leadership in becoming the 44th state to institute net metering. Now SCE&G is taking our state a step backwards by proposing to implement a different policy that will subject me and my fellow South Carolinians to increased taxes.

I support a "no new taxes" approach to solar in South Carolina. That means net metering.

Please help SCE&G get back on the right track.

Sincerely,

Wendy Butler

From:

Easterling, Deborah

Sent:

Friday, March 06, 2015 12:02 PM

To:

'Family Of Scott Frazier'

Subject:

RE: 2015-54-E: Reject SCE&G's Solar Proposal

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From: Family Of Scott Frazier [mailto:oliviasighs@sc.rr.com]

Sent: Thursday, March 05, 2015 4:47 PM

To: PSC Contact

Subject: 2015-54-E: Reject SCE&G's Solar Proposal

Dear Public Service Commission Public Service Commission,

The latest SCE&G residential solar proposal will push new taxes on its customers who participate, on top of already skyhigh power bills. The proposed program will not allow customers use the power they generate in their own homes and that should not be allowed to happen. A corporation should not be able to force someone to use its services or to abide by its arbitrary and possibly illegal proposals. This is inexcusable and betrayal of SCE&G's customers. It's time to reign in the abuse of power that SCE&G holds over the citizens of South Carolina. As citizens we demand and are entitled to not be under the thumb of SCE&G.

On a personal note, my power bill is between \$200 and \$300 each month and it is a struggle to pay the bill. You cannot allow SCE&G to get away with this new solar energy proposal that would tax or force customers to sell solar power generated from their own personal solar systems to SCE&G. That is ridiculous and if not legally wrong, it's definitely morally wrong. I adamantly reject this proposal and I strongly encourage the Public Service Commission to do the same.

South Carolina made significant progress in establishing a competitive and consumer-friendly solar market last year by instituting net energy metering. SCE&G is now backtracking on this progress with an unexpected proposal that would subject me and my neighbors to increased taxes if we choose to adopt solar energy. They should not be allowed get away with this any longer!

Please help SCE&G get back on the right track. South Carolina citizens want to see "no new taxes" solar policies like net metering.

Sincerely,

Family Of Scott Frazier